

Attorney Docket No. 03/008 K  
Customer No. 38263

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Ulrich DELIUS *et al.*

Group Art Unit: 1794

Application No.: 10/541,959

Examiner: M. C. Miggins

Filed: July 8, 2005

Confirmation No.: 6726

For: SMOKE PERMEABLE FOOD  
CASING BASED ON POLYAMIDE  
AND WATER SOLUBLE POLYMERS

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Charlotte, North Carolina  
July 23, 2009

Dear Sir:

In response to the non final Office Action dated March 17, 2009, kindly consider the following amendments and remarks. Also enclosed is a Petition for a two-month Extension of Time with credit card form to extend the due date to August 17, 2009.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on Page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on Page 7 of this paper.